



GARI (Gang Graffiti Automatic Recognition and Interpretation)

INGangNetwork and Purdue University VACCINE have collaborated to offer GARI to INGangNetwork members.

GARI is a mobile application allowing law enforcement and criminal justice personnel to capture, input, and search images of gang graffiti and tattoos using an Android or iPhone device. The images are analyzed, stored, and indexed by time, location (GPS coordinates), and content. Users are able to browse images up to a 20-mile radius of their current location, as well as search the database for similar images.

GARI helps users determine when a new gang moves into an area, identify what gangs are active in an area, and predict potential outbreaks of gang violence. GARI can also assist users in connecting with youth at risk of gang recruitment. For more information on Purdue VACCINE and GARI, visit http://www.purdue.edu/discoverypark/vaccine/gallery/view.php?103.

InterAct

In collaboration with CI Technologies and the Integrated Public Safety Commission, INGangNetwork is able to provide INGangNetwork alerts, via the InterAct mobile application, to all Computer Aided Dispatch/Records Management System (CAD/RMS) users.

When a public safety official makes an inquiry, the InterAct mobile system will create several queries simultaneously (NCIC, BMV, RMS, INGangNetwork, and several more). If an individual is linked to a record, the INGangNetwork database will be presented in the candidate list with source information. The person or vehicle will be represented in RED. If users are members of INGangNetwork, they can log into their INGangNetwork account to obtain additional information. Any user with a criminal predicate may also receive immediate assistance by contacting the Indiana Intelligence Fusion Center.

Alerts from INGangNetwork will significantly increase gang awareness, knowledge of possible dangers, and the safety of law enforcement and criminal justice personnel. For more information on InterAct, visit http://www.interact911.com/.

